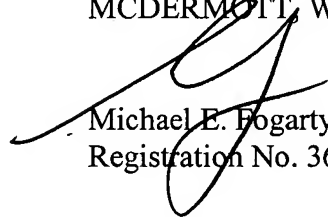


REMARKS

The claims have been amended as indicated. Entry of this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested.

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